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Front Page Assignee: "Whirlpool Corporation, Benton Harbor, MI (US)" should be -- Dart Container Corporation, Mason, MI (US) --

Column 2, lines 1-2: "In one aspect, the invention relates to an automated Manufacturing line for making a composite thermoformed article" should be -- In one aspect, the invention relates to an automated manufacturing line for making a composite thermoformed article --

Column 2, lines 61-62: "a plurality of the first and second work pieces," should be -- a plurality of the first and second workpieces --

Column 3, line 6: "first and second thermoformed work pieces." should be -- first and second thermoformed workpieces. --

Column 20, lines 15-16: "exterior surface 430 is does not conform" should be -- exterior surface 430 does not conform --

Claim 16: "The automated manufacturing line according to claim 15 wherein the multiple carriers are arranged in at least two sets, wherein when one of the at least two sets is in the first position, the other of the at least two sets is in the second position providing for the contemporaneous pick-up of a first trimmed thermoformed workpiece while a previously pick-up trimmed first thermoformed workpiece is being assembled to the second thermoformed workpiece." should be -- The automated manufacturing line according to claim 15 wherein the multiple carriers are arranged in at least two sets, wherein when one of the at least two sets is in the first position, the other of the at least two sets is in the second position providing for the contemporaneous pick-up of a first trimmed thermoformed workpiece while a previously picked-up trimmed first thermoformed workpiece is being assembled to the second thermoformed workpiece. --

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